

ROOSEVELT ATTACKED BY HOUSE

Resolution to Table Secret Service Section of Message Offered.

DEMAND THAT EXECUTIVE BE MORE RESPECTFUL

Action, Almost Unprecedented, Taken by Representatives in Their Anger.

SHERLEY SAVS BODY HAS BEEN LIBELED

President Has Overstepped His Privileges, Is Declaration Made in Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The special committee of the House of Representatives today introduced a resolution declaring that the section of the President's message dealing with the secret service was not respectful and asking that it be laid on the table. The action is almost unprecedented in the history of the country.

By laying the recommendation of the committee on the table, Congress would declare that it refuses to recognize the section as a part of the message. It would mean that if any action is taken on the secret service it would be done without respect to Roosevelt's attitude. It would be as if he had never said anything on the subject.

The part of the committee's report relating to the laying on the table of the section reads:

"We consider the language of the President in his message of December 8, 1908, unjustified and without basis of fact, and that it constitutes a breach of the privileges of the House; therefore, be it,

"Resolved, That the House in the exercise of its constitutional prerogatives declines to consider any communication from any source which is not in its own judgment respectful; and be it further,

"Resolved, That the special committee and the committee of the whole House on the state of the Union be discharged from any consideration of so much of the President's annual message as relates to the secret service, and is above set forth, and that the said portion of the message be laid on the table; and, be it further

"Resolved, That the message of the President sent to the House on January 4, 1909, being unresponsive to the inquiry of the House and constituting an invasion of the privileges of this House by questioning the motives and intelligence of members in the exercise of their constitutional rights and functions, be laid on the table."

The report of the committee was made by Chairman Perkins, of New York. The galleries were full of spectators, and nearly every seat on the floor was occupied. There was almost a tomblike stillness when Perkins rose to read his report.

Congressmen Indignant.

Messrs. Tawney, Smith, of Iowa; Sherley and Fitzgerald were on the floor, prepared by word of mouth, to resent what they deemed to be the insinuations of the President upon them as members of the committee on appropriations. They were not alone in their indignation. Indeed, for some time past the feelings of the members had been growing more and more intense, and some of them have been giving way to their sentiments in language which fully testified to their wounded pride.

Mr. Perkins addressed the House in part as follows:

"With the merits of the question with reference to the use of the secret service, this committee has nothing to do. We fully recognize the right of the President to express his disapproval of legislation adopted by the Congress, to point out its defects and to ask that they be remedied. The question will doubtless be considered by Congress and such action taken as may seem to be in the public interest."

"The statement contained in the message that the 'chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated,' can have but one meaning. It means that Congress voted for the measure from an improper motive. Any congressman whose vote can be determined by investigation by secret service men, or by any other men, must surely be in fear of the law."

"If it was believed that a majority of this body were in fear that their acts might be investigated and their crimes discovered, the respect of the people, which is important for the republic,

\$4,778 OF STARS' FUND SENT TO AID QUAKE SUFFERERS

Thirty-five Hundred Dollars Cabled to Rome and \$678 for Red Cross.

CONTRIBUTIONS CLIMBING TOWARD \$6,000 MARK

New Aid from Societa Sanfelese, Benefit and Commercial Association and Others.

The principal part of the STARS' earthquake relief fund is now actively aiding the survivors of the Calabrian disaster, \$5,500 having been cabled to United States Ambassador Griscom in Rome in two instalments, one of \$2,000 being followed by \$1,500 more yesterday. A check for \$678 has been forwarded to State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees, of the Red Cross Society, making \$4,778 in all that has been forwarded to aid in the work of humanity.

The fund continues to grow and is now past the \$5,000 mark.

The Societa Sanfelese last night donated \$50 toward the STARS' relief fund, and the amount was handed in at this office today by Vincenzo Crecca, president; Antonio Crecca, financial secretary; Vincenzo Giorgio, trustee, and Giuseppe Pizzorusso. At the meeting an individual collection was taken up among the seventy members present and \$35 was realized, which was also ordered sent to the STAR fund.

Those who contributed were: Vincenzo Crecca, \$2; Antonio Crecca, \$2; Vito Crecca, \$2; Joseph Crecca, \$2; Vincenzo Giorgio, 1st, \$2; Francesco Carputi, \$2; Vincenzo Licione, \$1; Donato Petolino, \$1; Genaro Russo, \$1; Giuseppe Pizzorusso, \$1; Giovanni Marchese, \$1; Vincenzo Giorgio, 2d, \$1; Sebastiano Andreaceo, 1st, \$1; Sebastiano Andreaceo, 2d, \$1; Nicola Settequato, \$1; James Papa, \$1; Pietro Miccio, \$1; Francesco Cecere, \$1; Vincenzo Marchese, \$1; Michele Marchese, \$1; Giuseppe Russo, \$1; Michele Giorgio, \$1; Vincenzo Andreaceo, \$1; Donato Andreaceo, \$1; Sebastiano Bagarazza, \$1; Vincenzo Carnevale, \$1; Cesare Carnevale, \$1; Sebastiano Cecere, \$1; Antonio Cecere, \$1; Giuseppe Chieca, \$1; Sebastiano Cardone, \$1; Angelantonio Carlucci, 1st, \$1.

Donato Cappello, \$1; Vito Calabrese, \$1; Berardino Carnevale, \$1; Vito di Napoli, \$1; Donato di Giocomo, \$1; Pasquale Grosso, \$1; Giuseppe Grosso, \$1; Bartolomeo Gandioso, \$1; Marco Gregorio, \$1; Domenicoantonio Gerardo, \$1; Antonio Gerardo, \$1; Vincenzo Griscom, \$1; Angelo Lombardo, \$1; Domenico Metello, \$1; Antonio Mariello, \$1; Michele Montone, \$1; Giuseppe Natale, \$1; Francesco Rochio, \$1; Bartolomeo Ruggiero, \$1; Domenico Remolino, \$1; Vincenzo Ruggiero, \$1; Donato Russo, \$1; Francesco Ricigliano, \$1.

Antonio Soldo, \$1; Pasquale Scapecchio, \$1; Vincenzo Soldo, \$1; Vincenzo Scario, \$1; Sebastiano Santoro, \$1; Vito Tofo, \$1; Nicola Carnicello, \$1; Angelo A. Carluccio, 2d, \$1; Michele Maulano, \$1; Vito Solo, \$1; Sebastiano Tomasulo, \$1; Sebastiano Pietropinto, \$1; Pasquale Natale, \$1; Vincenzo Barino, \$1; Vito A. Russo, \$1; Nicola Dantlegio, \$1; Michele Santamenna, \$1; Pietro Pizzorusso, \$1; Domenico Rieglione, \$1; Francesco Ruggiero, \$1; Vincenzo Nigro, \$1.

The Joel Parker Association, by unanimous vote, contributed \$25 to THE STARS' earthquake relief fund last night, and at the same time adopted resolutions of sympathy for the sufferers.

STARS' RELIEF FUND.

Gotfried Krueger Brewing Co.	\$200.00
Barry Yarnish Co.	25.00
P. Ballantine & Sons.	25.00
Diapian Brewing Co.	25.00
Joseph Bender Brewing Co.	150.00
Congregation B'nai Jeshurun.	150.00
Suburban Society.	150.00
Balbach Smelting and Refining Co.	100.00
George W. Weldonmeyer.	100.00
Peter Hantz & Son.	100.00
Hay Foundry and Iron Works.	100.00
Elgar R. Ward & Son.	100.00
Home Brewing Co.	100.00
Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co.	100.00
Suburban Society.	100.00
Caynor M. B. Society.	100.00
John H. Leister & Son.	100.00
Forner U. S. Terzaghi & Co.	100.00
Essex Co. Brewing Co.	100.00
Collection by members.	100.00
Sanfelese.	50.00
Male Benevolent and Commercial Ass'n.	75.00
M. Stange & Sons.	50.00
E. E. Battemley.	50.00
Charles P. Britton.	50.00
Wm. V. Snyder.	50.00
T. H. Howell & Co.	50.00
John Reilly (incorporated).	50.00
Samuel Leiser & Son.	50.00
Hon. Thomas N. McCarter.	50.00
E. S. Ward & Co.	50.00
John H. Leister & Son.	50.00
Societa Sanfelese.	50.00
Diapian Theatre.	50.00
Italian residents of Millbury.	50.00
Lyle Dream Theatre, Moving Pictures.	50.00
John H. Leister & Son.	50.00
Joe H. Hanning.	50.00
Sam. the tailor.	50.00
John H. Leister & Son.	50.00
P. J. Glasby Lumber Co.	50.00
Societa Sanfelese.	50.00
John H. Leister & Son.	50.00
Republican County Committee of Essex County.	50.00
The Star.	50.00
The Rev. Joseph Perotti.	50.00
Michael T. Barr.	50.00
McGregor & Co.	50.00
Salazar & Co.	50.00
Dunbar, Zazzali & Co.	50.00
Statenburg & Co.	50.00
A. J. & J. H. Helle.	50.00
Kaushner & Co.	50.00
McCabe Miller Works.	50.00
Societa Sanfelese.	50.00
Ruth Farr.	50.00

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HUSBAND ILL, HIS WIFE AND BABES NEAR STARVATION

Mrs. Glickman and Five Children Suffering from Cold and Hunger Pangs.

KIND NEIGHBORS HAVE GIVEN LITTLE SUCCOR

Only Bread-winner Is in Hospital About to Undergo an Operation.

In the heart of the "Hill" section, the most densely populated part of Newark, a woman and five half-clad children are facing starvation today. The husband and father, an invalid for more than two years, is in the charity ward of the Beth Israel Hospital. In the bitter cold of their squalid surroundings they are awaiting whatever end fate may have in store, which, but for the charity of neighbors and a relative, now no longer able to help, would have come long ago.

For weeks they have subsisted on the charity of their neighbors, many of whom are in but little better circumstances than themselves. Today they had a loaf of bread and a few grains of coffee, the last of their resources, to stand between them and starvation. In three wretched ill-smelling rooms they huddled together, dependent for warmth upon the findings of the oldest boy, aged 11, who faced the cold in scant attire to pick up such bits of wood and pieces of coal as he could find on the streets.

Mrs. Jennie Glickman is the mother. Her five children are between 2 and 11 years of age. She is living at 200 Court street, near Broome street, with her brood, thanks to a kindhearted landlord, to whom she owes two and one-half months' rent.

Before Glickman became a chronic invalid, two years ago, he was a painter and earned a living for his wife and family. During the past two years, however, he has been unable to follow his trade, and his existence has been a precarious one, gained by doing odd jobs here and there. Two months ago he earned his last dollar. He is now awaiting an operation in the hospital.

Mrs. Glickman's sister, who earned a hard living by manual labor, cheerfully undertook the support of the family. The children are too young to work or to leave unguarded in the house, so the mother could not assist. For months the family was supported by the slender earnings of the wife's sister, supplemented by a dollar now and then picked up by the husband.

Ten days ago the sister lost her situation, and ever since the family have been facing starvation. Neighbors came to their aid with as much food as they could, but it proved insufficient, and ever since, while a fortune were being spent in welcoming the New Year with satiation in food and drink, the family of six have felt the pangs of hunger.

They are hungry today, and half-dressed, without hope, are awaiting dissection or a good Samaritan.

BOY TAKEN ILL FALLS OUT THIRD-STORY WINDOW

Joseph Martin, 13 years old, who is afflicted with epilepsy, was seized with a spell near the window of his home at 82 Willoughby street yesterday afternoon and fell two stories to the ground. He lay there, stunned, for hours and when he was discovered by Policeman Eugene Heller, of the Sixth Precinct Station, he was half frozen.

Not knowing the address of the injured boy Heller took him to the Fourth Precinct Station. The boy was without shoes, coat or hat. He made friends of the policemen rapidly. When he told his story today, Judge Herr gave Policeman Seybold \$5 with which to purchase clothing for the youngster. Joe told the court that his father was a widower and that his 14-year-old sister cared for the other five children, all younger than himself. She had hidden his shoes, coat and hat so that he would not slip away while she went out of the room for a moment and upon returning and not seeing him thought that he had joined his companions on the street, despite her precautions.

TAFT AND KNOX PLAY GOLF AND TALK SHOP.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Jan. 8.—The President-elect, with his secretary of state, Mr. Knox, began the day with a game of golf. After the game and dinner they spent the remainder of the day in conference on the make-up of the Taft cabinet. No political callers came here today, and Mr. Taft will be interrupted with the important work in hand.

ACCUSED SLAYER OF ADMIRER AS ARTIST PHIFER SAW HER TESTIFYING, AND MISSING HUSBAND



MRS. AMORE ON WITNESS STAND.



CARMINE AMORE.

CHILD AT PLAY BADLY HURT AS WAGON HITS HIM

Seven-Year-Old Frank Lordi in City Hospital in Critical Condition.

Unheeding the warning of his brother, who was afraid that he might be late for school, Frank Lordi, aged 7 years, continued his play on River street today at 8:30 a. m., and a few minutes after his brother had left him was thrown to the pavement and, it is believed, critically injured by being run over by a heavy truck owned by the Spring Mattress Company, of Lafayette street.

The driver of the truck is said by the boy's companions at the time of the accident to have whipped up his horses and made his escape, but the wagon was recognized as being the property of the Spring Mattress Company by a number of those who saw the accident. The lad was carried to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lordi, at 160 Canal street, and a physician who had been summoned ordered his removal to the City Hospital.

Here it was found that the boy had sustained a compound fracture of the lower jaw, where it is believed one of the horses stepped upon him in passing. The wheels of the heavy truck also passed over his chest, and it is believed that he is internally injured. He is the youngest of four brothers, and only began going to the Lawrence Street School a few weeks ago.

When it became known at the First Precinct that young Lordi was in such a critical condition, Plainclothesmen Crawford and Smith were detailed on the case, with instructions from Captain Ryan to place the driver under arrest as soon as his identity became known. With the information from the lad's 12-year-old brother that the wagon was the property of the Spring Mattress Company, of Lafayette street, the sleuths expressed themselves as being confident that they would have the driver under arrest within the next few hours.

EAST ORANGE CHURCH TO COLLECT FOR SUFFERERS.

A collection will be taken up at all masses in Our Lady Help of Christians Church, East Orange, Sunday in aid of the Italian earthquake sufferers.

CALM AS DEATH IS ASKED FOR

Mrs. Amore's Fate to Be in Hands of Jury Today.

DESERTED BY HUSBAND, WHO IS STILL MISSING

Reiterates on Stand That She Shot Only to Scare In-sistent Lover.

JUDGE TEN EYCK TAKES HAND IN EXAMINATION

Defendant Killed Michael Martella to Avoid His Caresses.

Mrs. Josephine Amore, mother of six children, the alleged slayer of Michael Martella, apparently deserted by all her relatives, save her brother, Domenick Valentino, one of the most respected of Newark's Italian-American citizens, and connected with the post-office for years, faced her fate before Judge Ten Eyck and the special panel of jurors in the Court of Oyer and Terminer today. After she had undergone a severe cross-examination today, former Judge Thomas S. Henry, her counsel, summed up, followed by Prosecutor Mott. The case will go to the jury this afternoon.

That her husband, Carmine, is still among the missing, is a subject of general comment, and that he has not even appeared in court to comfort her seems to add to the seriousness of her situation.

The husband "skipped" his half of \$5,000 as soon as the trial became imminent, Joseph Martella, Ortilio Orsi and her brother being on the bond. None of them claims to know where he is, and the prosecutor's office does not care, although he was held as a witness, because his evidence could not be used under the rules, anyway. Several days after the murder he was released, although he was first suspected of it, and held until his wife came forward and made the sensational confession, in which she declared that she "had to do it" because of the man's persistent lovmaking.

Jury Inspects Home.

The jury, headed by Francis Kearney, its foreman, inspected the premises, 14-16 Drift street, this morning, where the tragedy occurred. Constable William P. Teed, in charge of the State's interests, and Mr. Valentino looking after those of his sister.

Caesar M. Eller was the day's first witness in the defense of self-defense, and he was asked by former Judge Thomas S. Henry about Domenick Fusco's reputation as to truth and veracity. Fusco was the most damaging witness for the State, and swore that the last of the fight between the accused and the deceased were most intimate.

Eller, however, did not know exactly what was wanted of him, and he was excused before he could say anything definite or of value. The gist of his testimony was that Fusco did not always tell the truth and he, the witness, knew it.

Then Mrs. Amore was called again to the witness stand, where she spent such a long time late yesterday afternoon under a sharp cross-examination of Prosecutor Wilbur A. Mott for the State. Her story was told as that she fired the shot simply to scare Martella when he tried to get into her room August 5 last, the night of the murder.

Mrs. Amore on Stand.

She went on the stand again to deny that the last of the sensational love letters she was said to have received from Martella was never received by her.

"Did Michael ever kiss you?" Mr. Henry asked.

"No, sir."

"Did you ever kiss him?"

"No, sir," was the decided answer.

Her contention right along has been that she had successfully repulsed all his amorous attacks, and she stuck to that throughout Mr. Mott's cross-examination.

She testified today that Martella would frequently pass her, put his hands to his hip pocket and say that the letters must be written.

Asked whether the letter she denied having received was not found under her mattress, she was positive that that was not so.

Judge Ten Eyck then took a hand in the examination.

"You said you wrote these love letters only because you were under threat and compulsion, and not because you really loved that man. Is that so?"

"Yes, sir."

"Nothing happened between the writing of the other letters and the